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## **BY ECF**

The Honorable Margo K. Brodie United States District Court 225 Cadman Plaza East Brooklyn, New York 11201 Courtroom: 6F South

Re: Dawkins v. The Talbots, Inc., 1:22-cv-02637

Dear Judge Brodie:

We represent Defendant The Talbots, Inc. ("Defendant") in the above captioned matter. We respectfully submit this letter to request an extension of Defendant's time to answer, move, or otherwise reply to the Complaint in accordance with the Court's Individual Practices. Mr. Mark Rozenberg, counsel for Plaintiff Elbert Dawkins, has consented to this request.

Defendant's deadline to respond to the Complaint in the matter is currently August 2, 2022. *See* Dkt. 5. The Parties are engaged in good faith discussions to resolve this dispute and have been regularly conferring via telephone and email. On July 29, 2022, my colleague, Reid Gaa, conferred with Mr. Rozenberg via email to request an extension of Defendant's deadline to respond to the Complaint so that the Parties may continue their discussions and make further progress towards resolution. Mr. Rozenberg consented to this request via email on July 31, 2022.

The Parties therefore jointly request an additional thirty (30) day extension of time to Defendant's deadline to respond to the Complaint, up to and including September 1, 2022.

This is the Parties' first request for an extension of this deadline in this case. The Parties do not make this request for the purpose of delay, but instead to continue their discussions throughout this period. The Parties agree that that the requested extension will promote judicial efficiency and facilitate their good faith efforts to resolve this matter without further burdening this Court's time and resources.

The parties therefore jointly request that this Court grant Defendant an extension of thirty (30) days to respond to the Complaint to September 1, 2022.

Respectfully submitted,

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